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FOLLOWING CORING HEAD,)
INBOARD WHEELS,)
ASSEMBLED MULTI-PART)
CRANKSHAFT, INTEGRAL)
CORE DEFLECTORS, AND)
SHORTENED CORING HEAD)
DEPTH)

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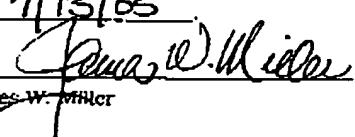
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Sir:

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